PUBLIC INFORMATION MEETINGS

TO DISCUSS THE NEED FOR RECONSTRUCTION OF KY 30 FROM TYNER TO BOONEVILLE JACKSON AND OWSLEY COUNTIES

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 4, 2001 5:00 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M. CAFETERIA TYNER ELEMENTARY SCHOOL KY 30 WEST TYNER, KY TUESDAY, OCTOBER 9, 2001 5:00 P.M. TO 7:00 P.M. CAFETERIA OWSLEY COUNTY HIGH SCHOOL SHEPHERD LANE BOONEVILLE, KY

The Kentucky Transportation Cabinet has scheduled two Public Information Meetings to discuss a planning study of the need to reconstruct KY 30 from US 421 near Tyner in Jackson County to KY 11 near Booneville in Owsley County. The purpose of the meetings is to inform the public of the planning study, discuss various environmental and technical issues concerning the area under consideration, and solicit ideas and opinions that will help the Cabinet make decisions about the study. Anyone having an interest in this planning study is urged to attend either of these meetings.

The open public meetings, which will run from 5:00 p.m. to 7:00 p.m., will feature a brief presentation and an open exhibit area where officials will be prepared to answer questions and/or receive public input. The exhibits will outline the project area and describe the potential environmental and engineering impacts. Identical presentations and exhibits will be presented at each meeting. Please attend the public meeting most convenient for you.

For anyone that needs transportation to the meetings, free rides can be provided starting an hour before and ending an hour after each meeting. If you need a ride please call Daniel Boone Transit at 606/287–8505 or 606/593-5103.

The exhibits will also be available for viewing from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m. for fifteen (15) days after each meeting at the Kentucky Department of Highways District 10 Office, 473 KY 15 S, Jackson, Kentucky and at the Kentucky Department of Highways District 11 Office, Railroad Avenue, Manchester, Kentucky.

Both written and oral statements will be accepted at the meetings. A tape recorder will be made available for those who desire to make oral statements and a comment sheet will be distributed to make it more convenient to provide written comments. Written statements will be accepted at the meeting and for a period of fifteen (15) days after each Public Information Meeting. Written statements should be addressed to Annette Coffey, P.E., Director, Division of Planning, 125 Holmes Street, Frankfort, Kentucky 40622, or returned using the postage-paid envelope provided with the comment sheet. All recorded and written statements will become part of the official record. Once compiled, the summary of each meeting and other supporting documentation will be made available for review and copying after an Open Records Request has been received and approved. All Open Records Requests must be submitted to the Transportation Cabinet, Department of Administrative Services, State Office Building, Frankfort, Kentucky 40622.

In accordance with the "Americans With Disabilities Act," if you have a disability for which the Transportation Cabinet needs to provide accommodations, please notify us of your requirements by October 2, 2001. This request does not have to be in writing. Please contact Donald Breeding, Chief District Engineer, District 10 at 473 KY 15 S, P.O. Box 621, Jackson, Kentucky, 41339, 606/666-8411, or Andy Buell, Chief District Engineer, District 11 on Railroad Ave., P.O. Box 250, Manchester, Kentucky, 40962, 606/598-2145.